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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE

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1. REFAIRGRAM ALTERNATE VELTHEIM WILL TRAVEL U.S. OCTOBER 8-29 UNDER PRIVATE AUSPICES. REQUEST ASSISTANCE TO FACILITATE BROADEST POSSIBLE ACCESS TO AMERICAN THEATER DURING VISIT. VELTHEIM VERY KNOWLEDGEABLE AND INTERESTED PROFESSIONAL, ACADEMIC AND TOP AMATEUR THEATER ACTIVITIES. PREFERRED ITINERARY FOLLOWS.

NEW YORK CITY ONE WEEK. O'NEILL'S "MOON FOR MISBEGOTTEN" IS A "MUST". OTHERWISE OPEN TO DEPARTMENT RECOMMENDATIONS BUT PROGRAM SHOULD INCLUDE ONE MUSICAL AND VISIT LINCOLN CENTER.

WASHINGTON DC THREE DAYS. SUGGEST ARENA STAGE AND CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY.

NEW ORLEANS THREE DAYS. STRONG INTEREST THAT CITY AROUSED BY TENNESSEE WILLIAMS.

OPEN TO SUGGESTION BEYOND ABOVE, BUT RECOMMEND CONTACT HOWARD STEIN AT YALE UNIVERSITY DRAMA SCHOOL TO ARRANGE POSSIBLE VISIT. REQUEST APPROPRIATE HOTEL RESERVATIONS. WE UNDERSTAND HER PER DIEM APPROXIMATELY \$30.

2. ADDITIONAL BIODATA FOLLOWS. BORN APRIL 14, 1918, VIIPURI, FINLAND; MARRIED, FOUR CHILDREN; HOME ADDRESS MERITULLINKATU
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INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION THEATER CRITICS AND FINNISH CRITICS UNION; EDITED "FINNISH THEATRE TODAY"; FOREIGN TRAVEL IN SOUTH AMERICA, WEST AFRICA, FRANCE, UK, POLAND, HUNGARY, ITALY AND SCANDINAVIA; FINNISH MOTHER TONGUE, ENGLISH FLUENT, AND SWEDISH, GERMAN, PORTUGUESE AND FRENCH.

3. VELTHEIM ETA NEW YORK OCTOBER 8 AT 2010 HRS. AY 6077. ADVISE SOONEST NAME AND TELEPHONE OF CONTACT.
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